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REPRESENTATIVE BRANDTJEN APPOINTED TO WOMEN'S COUNCIL BOARD

Madison, WI (May 8, 2015) The Wisconsin Women's Council is pleased to announce Assembly Speaker Robin Vos' appointment of Representative Janel Brandtjen, 22nd Assembly District, to the Women's Council Board.

Representative Janel Brandtjen (Menomonee Falls, WI) was elected to the Wisconsin State Assembly in 2014. She serves on five State Assembly Committees including Corrections, Children and Families, Public Benefit Reform, State Affairs and Government Operations, and Workforce Development.

Rep. Brandtjen and her husband developed a marketing company which operates in Menomonee Falls. A Wisconsin native, she is a graduate of John Marshall High School and University of Wisconsin–Milwaukee where she earned a business degree in finance and marketing. She was also previously elected to the Waukesha County Board. Rep. Brandtjen currently resides in Menomonee Falls with her husband Rick and their two daughters.

"As a civic and business leader, Representative Brandtjen brings the experiences and needs of local communities, including business owners and employers to the policy table," said Mary Jo K. Baas, Women's Council Chair. "The Women's Council is fortunate to operate with a talented Board of business, civic, and community leaders that come together from locations around the state and bring to our work a wide range of experiences, interests, and expertise."

ABOUT THE WOMEN'S COUNCIL

The Women's Council is Wisconsin's statutory commission on the status of women and girls. Established in 1983, the Council promotes initiatives that empower women, serves as a clearinghouse for information for and about women, and promotes unique partnerships to address issues affecting Wisconsin women. The Council is governed by a 15-member Council that is appointed by the Governor and legislative leaders. For more information about the Wisconsin Women's Council visit our web site at <http://womenscouncil.wi.gov>.

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